Weisberg receives CIA information on bending mind

A local resident noted for his investigations of the government has received new material from the Central Intelligence Agency.

Harold Weisberg, who authored books and articles questioning the government's investigation of the assassination of President John F. Kennedy, said Wednesday he received 14,375 pages of data from the CIA.

"I made the request two years ago and they finally came through," Weisberg said. "Supposedly they have 10 days to provide the information or a letter explaining delay. They did nothing until I leaned on them a few weeks ago."

Weisberg said the data deals with the CIA's "mind bending" activities.

"I have not had a chance to read it yet, but it is a horrible thing — toying with the human mind," he said, "and in the name of national security."

Weisberg said he was charged 10 cents per page for the material and hoped to do some articles or a book on the subject later. "I am just too busy right now," he said.

Weisberg said he has been gathering similar information for some period of time and the data is only part of his files.

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